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In re application of: Stanley C. Johnson

Serial No. 09/903,795 Examiner: Jane J. Rhee

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For: WOOD PRODUCT HAVING A COMPOSITE SUBSTRATE  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Responsive to the Office Action, dated August 21, 2002, please amend the  
application as follows:

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**In the Specification:**

Please amend the specification at page 1, line 8, by adding the following claim  
for priority:

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This application is a continuation of U.S. Provisional Patent Application  
No. 60/217,748, filed July 12, 2000.

**In the Claims:**

Please cancel claims 1-8 and add the following new claims:

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24. (New) A wood product for use as trim on a building comprising:
- an elongate composite substrate;
  - a core defining the interior of said substrate;
  - an elongate front surface formed on one side of said substrate;
  - an elongate rear surface formed on the other side of said substrate;
  - a pair of opposing edge surfaces extending between said front and rear surfaces, said core being exposed on said edge surfaces;
  - treated paper substantially covering and adhered to all of said front surface, said side surfaces, and at least a portion of said rear surface adjacent at least one of